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F-3 1. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] a shipment of arms destined for San Salvador recently left Puerto Morazan, Nicaragua. An aide of Somoza named Saravia is reportedly in charge of the shipment, of which the types and numbers of arms were unknown.

C-3 2. It is suspected that the purpose of this shipment is to strengthen the government of President Salvador Castaneda Castro, since there have been recent reports that an invasion of El Salvador from Guatemala is being planned by Osmin Aguirre.

F-3 3. [REDACTED] Col. Maciano Casado, formerly an important Guatemalan military figure under the regime of Ubico left Managua for San Salvador by TACA airlines on 23 August. Casado has been in frequent contact recently with General Somoza and Luis Coronado Lira, a Guatemalan exile.

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